Steamship Venango's Narrow Escape from Destruction.

Saloon Lamp Exploded During a Strong Gale and Heavy Sea.

Prompt Work by Captain and Crew Alope Saved Their Lives.

The British steamship Venance, which arrived from Hamburg last night, had a narrow escape from total destruction by fire during the voyage to this port.

Capt. Wilson reports that on the first inst., of the in mid-ocean, at 10.30 P. M., during a strong l'awling. northwestern gale and high sea, a hanging lamp in the saloon broke from its fastenings and, failing to the floor, exploded.

The whole cabin became immediately one mass of flames.

Capt. Wilson, who was asleep in his room, forward of the saloon, was awakened by the intense heat and smoke, and with great diffi-

culty reached the deck and raised an alarm.
All hands rushed a t, and with much difficulty, owing to the headway the hre had cained, caused by the high wind, succeeded with the aid of a fire pump to subduing the This was not accompilated, however, before

the interior of the catin was completely charred and destroyed. Capt. Wilson loses all his effects; cabin jurniture and fittings completely ruined.

The chief steward was severely burned

shout the face and body. The captain's valuable Newfoundland dog refused to leave the captain's room and pershed in the flames.

Steward Franc Olsen was sound asleep in his room, off the main cabin. He was aroused by the noise on deck and also by the suffocating smoke entering his room. Springing out of hed he opened the door leading to the cabin.

A tongue of flame curied inward with the draught and wrapped itself about his legs, setting fire to his nightclockes. He slammed the door shut and tried the door leading to the deck. It was locked and caulked. He tried in vain to open it, and finding that he could not, turned to the cabin. It was his only hope, for he felt he would be roasted to death if he did not get out on

Flinging the door open he dashed through the flame. He succeeded in getting out on deck with his nighton fire. The flame had also caught his hair and badly burned his Some of the crew wrathed old clothes

about him and extinguished the fire. . He was terribly burned, also, about the Steward Olsen was placed in the ship's

hospital and tenderly cared for during the remainder of the voyage. This morning he was taken to St. Peter's Hospital, Brooklyn, when the steamer docked at the foot of Builting The loss will reach several thousand dol-

Had not the afterhouse, where the saloon is situated, been composed of from the vessel would have been undoubtedly destroyed, as the fire had gained great headway before being discovered, and with the furious gain blowing nothing would have saved her.

MR. WHITNEY'S RETURN.

Bumor that It Will Be Attended with Ho Retirement from Business Life.

It is reported that ex-Secretary W. C. Whitney will live in retirement on his return from his yachting cruise among the Windward Islands. Mr. Whitney is expected home a to-morrow evening.
It was expected that Mr. Whitney would

return to public life when Mr. Cleveland be-came President, but he said his business affairs would not permit him to take The report, then, circulated in Wall ctal matters again came in the nature of a surprise.

Mr. Whitney is largely interested in Stand-

pulp mills in Maine and Michigan and cable railroads in this and other cities. railroads in this and other cities.

He is considered a very rich man, and the profits from his glit-edged investments, it was said, would soon make him one of the richest men in America.

If Mr. Whitney has decided to refer from active business, his determination has been reached since the death of his wire, which was a severe blow to him.

None of Mr. Whitney's friends, who were seen to-day, could speak with carmetry of the subject. The report was news to them, they said.

visor. The candidates were affect Hennen Morris, of race-track fame, and a Democrat, and Augustus M. Flesh, upon whom the Republicans and independent Democrats united.

Morris is the representative of the Duffy faction and had the support of the machine. He was elected by Time majority. There were some lively secrets at the poils, and replaces and conditions of the language and the support of the poils, and replaces and conditions of the language and the poils and replaces and conditions of the language and language and

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History of the Pawling Burglars.

Bold Robbery.

Henry Carey and John Walsh, two of taken to Police Headquart is this marn- by " fac World;"



toth throw and Walsh are well-known police of this city. Inspector

in Walsh was born on the cast in the neighborhood of Grand and on streets. He is an old-time burgand has figured in 'the business'. The noted Jack Dollard. The lattice of the lattice of

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Arrested Ten Years After a Murder, of the kirects.

Husband Is a Suicide.

Last of a Famous Family.

" It looks very much as If Fenry A. Bellow, the four expert burglars who are the last of the old New York family of that amployed by Millionaire George T. Vincharmed with blowing open the safe of pame, was adopting the methods of Ann gor, of B West Thirty-fourth street, is the Pawling Savings Bank on Manday Obelia Disabebar to he efforts to drop out online his master for \$2,000 for assault, night and carrying of \$1000 worth of of signt. The following letter, written in a Tigo to able between them was caused Government bends and \$500 in cash, were hand evidently disguised, has been received 1, an inchest plate of choise.

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Villagers Still Excited Over the Alleged Farewell Letter from the Plaintiff Alleges Assault and Defemlant Says Blackmall.

Walter L. James, an English butler



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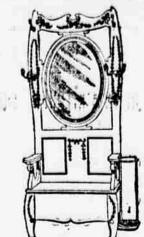
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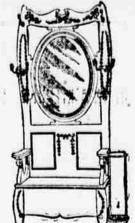
"Who was Louis XIV, of France ?" asked

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